IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re Application of:)
Bernard Vacher) Group Art Unit: 1625
Application No.: 10/518,394) Examiner: David K. O'Del
iled: December 17, 2004))
or: NOVEL ARYL-[4-HALO-4 (HETEROARYLMETHYLAMINO)- METHYL]-PIPERIDIN-1-YL]- METHANONE DERIVATIVES, METHODS FOR PRODUCTION AND USE THEREOF AS MEDICAMENTS)) Confirmation No.: 8214)))))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a three-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action of May 30, 2008. A fee of \$1,110.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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